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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2612

03500.013021

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KATSUMI IIJIMA, ET AL. ) Examiner: V. Le  
Application No.: 09/174,461 ) Group Art Unit: 2613  
Filed: October 19, 1998 )  
For: IMAGE PICKUP )  
APPARATUS ) August 21, 2002

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 21, 2002, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments and remarks be entered and considered in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1 to 3 and 25 to 27 to read as follows. A marked-up copy of Claims 1 to 3 and 25 to 27, showing the changes made thereto, is attached. Note



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	24	0	x \$9 \$18	-0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	5	0	x \$42 \$84	-0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280						0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						-0-

<sup>o</sup> Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

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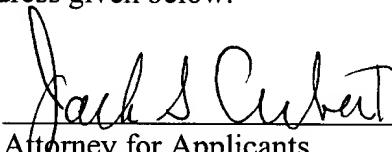
Charge \$\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for a \_\_\_\_ month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' attorney, C. Phillip Wrist, may be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.



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